

Summer Activities

Welcome to Warriors' Path State Park! We hope you will enjoy your visit! While you are with us, we invite you to take advantage of the rich natural beauty and wealth of opportunities for enjoyable recreation here at the park.



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MONDAY, JULY 22

- 5:00 PM HOLSTON BLUFFS HIKE** - Our park is tied to history through the rails! Let's hike the old railroad grade, and hear the stories of these old railroaders' lives. Meet at the benches behind the OVERFLOW CAMPGROUND Bath House.
- 7:00 PM PICTURE FRAMES** - Come get ready to frame your favorite natural scene! Meet at the main bath house to make your own picture frame.
- 9:30 PM HIDE & SEEK** - Wild "critters" don't *play* hide & seek - they hide and they seek to stay alive! Find about more about how animals hide, and then we'll play our own hide & seek game. Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or pool entrance if it is raining.

TUESDAY, JULY 23

- 10:30 AM FOXES & CHICKENS** - Enjoy a traditional tag game from the good old days at Warriors' Path. Meet at the Open Air Chapel (or main bath house if it is raining).
- 12 NOON OLD & YOUNG** - How old are you? How old is that tree? How about that fly buzzing around your head? Everything gets older, but how fast?. Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if it is raining
- 2:00 PM INVASIVE HOP** - Can you hop past the invasive exotic plants? Meet at the Open Air Chapel to learn while we play. In case of rain, meet at the main bath house.
- 4:00 PM SPOTLIGHT STROLL** - Let's shine our light on some bright natural discoveries. Meet at the campground check-in station to begin a short, sunlit hike.
- 7:00 PM SKULLS - NATURE'S TOOL BOX** - Every animal carries along all the tools it needs for survival! Come investigate some natural "tool boxes," and find out more about each animal's job! Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if it is raining.
- 9:00 PM DRAGONFLIES** - These fascinating insects have some amazing life stories to tell. Come enjoy a slide-illustrated talk about these "bugs" that zip through the summer skies. Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or the pool entrance if it's raining.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

- 9:30 AM** **WETLAND WALK** - Wetlands are wet, and full of life! Come along for a soggy hike near Fall Creek, on the far side of the Devil's Backbone. We might even spot a few dragonflies! Drive to the camper check-in station, and we'll carpool.
- 11:30 AM** **MAGNIFYING GLASS HIKE** - Use your eyes and some handy little magnifiers to get a close look at nature's amazing details. Meet at the main bath house to begin a short discovery walk.
- 3:00 PM** **FIELD SWEEP** - This green world at our feet is teeming with amazing life. Help us "sweep up" some field discoveries. Meet at the Open Air Chapel.
- 5:00 PM** **CAMPING CATASTROPHE** - Have some fun while finding out how NOT to go camping. Join the crowd over at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if it's raining
- 7:00 PM** **DUCK DINNER** - No, we are NOT eating the park ducks for dinner! We are going to watch the ducks and geese enjoying THEIR dinners. We'll also discover more about their fascinating behavior! Bring your sack dinner if you'd like, and meet at the camper check-in station. We'll walk on down to Duck Island.
- 9:30 PM** **STAR STORIES** - Night is a perfect time to see the stars, and to share their stories. Meet at the Open Air Chapel (or main bath house if it's raining) to hear some star legends.

THURSDAY, JULY 25

- 9:30 AM** **DEVIL'S BACKBONE HIKE** -Come hike to the high places, and get some new views of our park land. Drive to the camper check-in station, and we'll carpool to the start of an invigorating hike.
- 11:00 AM** **BUILD A CABIN** - Less than 100 years ago, our park was farmland and farm houses, not playgrounds and campsites! And home was made of logs. Come create a little model log cabin with some sticks, some glue, and your creativity. Meet at the main bath house.
- 1:00 PM** **360 DEGREE WORLD** - Take a close look at our world, in every direction. Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if it's raining
- 3:00 PM** **PREDATOR/PREY** - Explore the competition between hunter and hunted. Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if is raining.
- 5:00 PM** **NOISY TOYS** - How did the pioneer children make music or noise? Make your very own "musical" instrument with a few simple things from nature. Meet at the Open Air Chapel to create some "beautiful music." In case of rain, meet at the main bath house.
- 7:00 PM** **BIRDS OF PREY** - Meet some real live feathered hunters. Come to the Open Air Chapel and see "whooo..." is waiting for you. If it is raining, meet at the main bath house.
- 9:00 PM** **NIGHT SOUNDS** - Nature is full of sounds when the sun goes down! Some seem eerie, but there's no need to be nervous. Come find out whose noise is whose. Meet at the Open Air Chapel for a short slide show of the creatures who "talk" in the night! (At the pool entrance if it is raining.)

FRIDAY, JULY 26

- 11:00 AM** **ANIMAL CHARADES** - An old favorite with a new twist. See who can act out the best critter! Meet at the Open Air Chapel, or main bath house if it is raining.
- 3:00 PM** **BEAT THE HEAT** - Every living thing (including us) is about 3/4 water. Don't let this summer sun shrivel you up, but keep cool and safe and hydrated. Meet at the Open Air Chapel (or main bath house if it is raining.)
- 5:00 PM** **WATER BALLOONS** - Bring your friends out and join the wet fun. Meet at the Open Air Chapel.
- 9:00 PM** **CHEROKEE TALES** - Meet at the Open Air Chapel, and enjoy the stories told by the FIRST travelers along the Warriors' Path. In case of rain, meet at the pool entrance.

SATURDAY, JULY 27

SPECIAL EVENT - ALL DAY - **FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL**: See posters for details

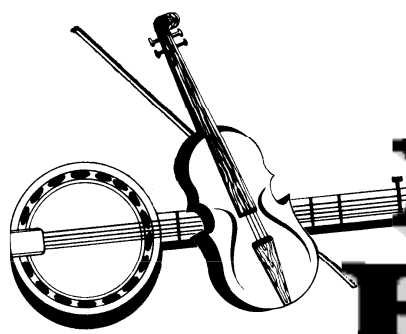
SUNDAY, JULY 28

- 9:30 AM** **WORSHIP SERVICE** - Enjoy a peaceful morning worship service at the Open Air Chapel, or at the pool entrance if it is raining. Sponsored by the Colonial Heights Baptist Church.

SPECIAL NOTE: We work hard to make our programs both safe and fun! However, as with any outdoor activity, there is always a risk of personal discomfort or even personal injury. Please use your common sense and care whenever you enjoy activities in the **Great Tennessee Outdoors.**

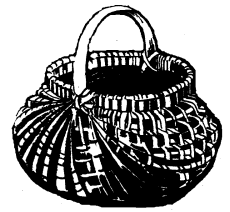


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34th Annual

Folklife Festival



Saturday July 27

Celebrate Northeast Tennessee's folk traditions!

- ☆ 10AM-6PM **CRAFT & LIFE SKILLS DEMONSTRATIONS**
- ☆ 11:00 AM **OLD TIMEY GAMES** - Schoolyard Games
- ☆ 12 NOON Native American Flute, Storytelling & more with
Little Deer Intertribal Dancers
- ☆ 1:00 PM Great Country Music with *Southern Country*
- ☆ 2:00 PM Bluegrass and more with *Alexander Creek*
- ☆ 3:00 PM Great Bluegrass with *The Ball Sisters Band*
- ☆ 4:00 PM **OLD TIMEY GAMES** - Greased Watermelon Race
- ☆ 4:30 PM Incredible Dulcimer Music with *Jim & Cheri*
- ☆ 5:30 PM Amazing "Can Joe" Music with *CanJoe*John*
- ☆ 6:30 PM Fine Folk Music with *The Malones*
- ☆ 7:30 PM Old Time Fiddle & Banjo with
Stringbean String Band
- ☆ 8:30 PM **CAMPFIRE TALES** - Local legends & "haint" tales

Note: The Warriors' Path Muzzle Loaders from Kentucky will set up a pioneer encampment today. Visit with them all day long, as they have *special demonstrations* of Primitive Cooking, Tomahawk Throwing, Fire Building and more!

All events will be held in the park's Open Air Chapel area, in the field between the Pool Parking Lot and the Campground.

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